

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: MORRIS, David Drew  
Application No.: 10 / 792,363  
Filing Date: March 3, 2004  
Title: INNERDUCT GUIDE TUBE ASSEMBLY  
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Post Office Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR §1.136 for an extension of two (2) months in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated September 12, 2006. Acceptance of this petition will extend the time to respond to the Office Action to February 12, 2007.

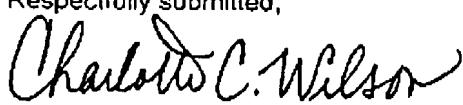
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Applicant hereby requests any additional time required to make these papers timely, and authorization is hereby granted to withdraw any fees necessary for this additional time from Deposit Account Number 04-0500.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 8, 2007

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